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Major General Leonard D. Heaton, MC
Commanding General
Walter Reed Army Medical Center
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Heaton:

As you can well imagine, I am receiving a large number of letters giving various ideas about cancer. Some appear to come from "crackpots". Others come from more serious sources. I shall pass these letters on and you will know best what to do with them. In any case, none of these letters requires any acknowledgment from you unless you wish to do so as I have answered them.

I don't presume to suggest that they are likely to present any ideas which have not been considered by you.

STAT The attached letter from [] is from a serious person, not a technician himself but as a non-professional has been very active in hospital work in New York, and an old friend of both my brother and myself. Also attached is a letter from [] STAT [] an eminent woman lawyer in New York whom I have known for some years. I frankly do not know how to grade this letter but you will be able to judge of it.

STAT The letters from a [] seem to fall in the crackpot category and I do not know the writers.

Faithfully yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

Enclosures (See attached list)

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